

NOTICES OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the publication of Notices of Rulemaking Docket Opening when an agency opens a rulemaking docket to consider rulemaking. Under the APA effective January 1, 1995, agencies must submit a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening before beginning the formal rulemaking process.

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STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD

[R06-421]

1. **Title and its heading:** 2, Administration
Chapter and its heading: 8, State Retirement System Board
Articles and their heading: 2, State Retirement Defined Contribution Program
Section numbers: R2-8-202 (The Department may add additional Sections or delete or modify Sections as necessary.)
2. **The subject matter of the proposed rules:**
R2-8-202 and its table constitute the Board's direction to the Actuary, the professional organization contracted by the ASRS under A.R.S. § 38-714 (H) (2) and (3), to perform the actuarial analysis of the ASRS defined contribution plan (the "System") for financial reporting purposes and for determining the appropriateness of the current annuity amounts. The Actuary must use the mortality table and interest assumption to calculate the present value of future benefits payable from the System and to determine the funded status of the System.

At the October 20, 2006 Board meeting, the ASRS Board approved a new mortality table (Generational Mortality Table Based on the 1994 Group Annuity Mortality Static Table Projected with Scale AA Unisex 50% Male/50% Female) for System members. R2-8-202 needs to be amended to remove the current mortality table and add the new mortality table.

The agency docket number, if applicable:
2006-04
3. **A citation to all published notices relating to the proceedings:**
None
4. **The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:**
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5. **The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**
The timetable for accepting written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made is announced in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.
6. **A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
The timetable for agency decisions is announced in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

ANIMAL SERVICES DIVISION

[R06-416]

1. **Title and its heading:** 3, Agriculture
Chapter and its heading: 2, Department of Agriculture -Animal Services Division
Article and its heading: 9, Egg and Egg Products Control
Section numbers: R3-2-905
As a part of this rulemaking, the Department may add, delete or modify additional Sections as necessary.
2. **The subject matter of the proposed rule:**
The Department of Agriculture is initiating this rulemaking in order to protect the public health, safety and welfare by avoiding an imminent budget cut. If the budget is depleted, the Department will be forced to reduce the number of inspectors which will result in fewer inspections. Without the ability to monitor the quality of eggs that reach the consumer, the public health, safety and welfare will be placed in jeopardy.
3. **A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
None
4. **The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:**
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5. **The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**
Written comments: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., M - F
Oral comments: 8 a.m. - 4 p.m., M - F
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6. **A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
Unknown

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BOARD OF TECHNICAL REGISTRATION

[R06-417]

1. **Title and its heading:** 4, Professions and Occupations
Chapter and its heading: 30, Board of Technical Registration
Article and its heading: 1, General Provisions
Section numbers: R4-30-101
2. **The subject matter of the proposed rule:**
The Board has determined that the addition of the term "design team" will allow professional registrants to collaborate on projects where the documents are not designated as finished product while still in the design phase.
3. **A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
Not Applicable
4. **The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:**
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5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:

Written, oral, facsimile or e-mailed comments will be accepted from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, at 1110 W. Washington Street, Suite 240, Phoenix, AZ 85007, for 30 days from the date it is published in the *Arizona Administrative Register*.

6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:

None